

Docket No. 3606-4000

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Applicant(s):

Gillin, Korfmann and Raden

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#### AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application of the above-identified appli

# **CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	
Total Claims*	43 -	43	0	\$18.00/\$9.00	\$ 0	
Independent						
Claims	12 -	12	0	\$84.00/ \$42.00	\$ 0	
	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent					
Multiple	Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in					
Dependent	application before amendment add \$280.00 to additional fee					
Claims	(\$140.00 for sn	\$ 0				
TOTAL					\$ 0	

<sup>\*</sup>Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. §1.75(c).

$\boxtimes$	Small entity status is or has been claimed.			
	Reduced Fees Under 37 C.F.R. §1.9(f) paid herewith \$			

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X	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for filing this amendment, including all fees pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17 for its timely consideration, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 3606-4000. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.					
			Respectfully submitted, MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P.			
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# INTERVIEW SUMMARY AND SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to suggestions graciously provided to applicants' representatives during the personal interview held on July 30, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The substance of the interview and elaboration on the amendments follow thereafter.

Amendments to the Claims: reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 and ends on page 16 of this paper.

Remarks: begin on page 17 of this paper.

Reconsideration of the application in light of the enclosed Remarks is respectfully requested. If this paper fails to suitably incorporate the suggestions made during the interview or any other issue remains which could be addressed over the phone, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number indicated at the end of this paper.